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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Attorney Docket No: Q63447

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Appln. No.: 09/802,926

Group Art Unit: 3681

Confirmation No.: 7232

Examiner: M Burch

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For: A UNIT FOR THE SERVO-ASSISTED OPERATION OF A MOTOR-VEHICLE GEARBOX

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of July 17, 2002 to January 17, 2003.

A check for the statutory small entity fee of \$465.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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